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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

Banks.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Old Broad Street, E.C. 4. GEORGE STREET & CO., 90, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTT, Ludgate Circus, E.C. 4. HENDY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. 3. SAMUEL DEACON & CO., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE.—LEON DE LOSSY, 19, Rue Montreuil, Paris.

NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 183, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTT, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAN & BLACK, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE AND STRAITS.—SAYLE & CO., Square, Singapore. C. HEINZE & CO., Malacca.

CHINA.—MAGAS, MESSRS A. A. DE MELLO & CO., Suiatow, Campbell & Co., Amoy, WILSON, NICOLL & CO., Fuchow, HEDON & CO., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., and KELLY & WALSHE, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

For Sale.

KELLY & WALSHE have just received a Fine Collection of Patents' China Edition of Musical Works, consisting of the Works of MENDELSSOHN, MOZART, HAYDN, BEETHOVEN, HUMMEL, SCHUMANN, SCHUBERT, CHAMBER, WAGNER, LISZT, &c., &c.

New OBIT BOOKS and REF. STATIONERY.

The GROTESQUE NOTE PAPER.

Cheap NOTE PAPER & ENVELOPES.

The Kaiser's HIND CIGARETTES.

THOMPSON'S GARDENER'S ASSISTANT.

BRETON FOLKS, Illustrated by CALDEROTT.

JOHNSTON'S CHEMISTRY OF COMMON LIFE.

SMITH'S GEOMETRICAL.

NICHOLSON'S MANUAL OF ZOOLOGY.

BAIRD.—The HUGENOTS IN FRANCE.

HUXLEY'S CRAY FISH.

KEMPSON'S TAIPOONS IN CHINA AND JAPAN SEAS.

HALF HOURS with MICROSCOPE.

Cabinet and Carte PHOTOGRAPHS of Noted Characters.

Hongkong, March 9, 1880. ma23

Auctions.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO BE SOLD as a going concern, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on a DAY to be hereafter fixed in the Month of APRIL next, (unless previously disposed of by Private Contract), and subject to withdrawal by the Vendor for any other reason of which due Notice will be given, THE BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS, AND SHIPWRIGHTS, lately carried on by Messrs J. INGLIS & Co., known as the VICTORIA FOUNDRY, and situated at SPRING GARDENS, Victoria. Together with all the PLANT, MACHINERY, TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, STEAM LAUNCHES, and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and including the Good will, and all Existing Contracts and Engagements.

For further Particulars, apply to SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON, Solicitors for the Mortgagees.

Supreme Court House, 17th February, 1880.

Intimations.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS, in Duplicate, marked on the Cover "Tender for Army Contracts," will be received by the Underigned until 10 a.m. on FRIDAY, the 13th Instant, for the undermentioned SUPPLIES and SERVICES, required by the War Department at Hongkong and Out-posts, during the year, from the 1st April 1880, to the 31st March, 1881, viz:—

SUPPLIES.

1.—For Her Majesty's Troops.—PROVISIONS, FUEL, LIGHTS, &c.

2.—For Hospitals.—MEDICINES, WINES, PORTWINE, ALE, SPIRITS, &c., &c.

SERVICES.

3.—Washing and Repairing PARADE and HOSPITAL BEDDING and CLOTHING.

4.—CLEANING the ROADS, PARADES, and NOLLAN A to D (see plan), &c., at the various Cantonments and other SCAVENGER'S WORK; also SWEEPING CHIMNEY FLUES and STOVE PIPES; likewise, CLEANING, LIGHTING, and PROVIDING OIL, &c., for Exterior Lamps.

5.—For the PURCHASE of LEMIT FOSTER CARS.

There will be a separate Tender for each of the five items. No Tender will be accepted from any person in Government employ.

Samples of certain of the Articles required in accordance with which supplies must be furnished, can be seen at this Office; where, also, Forms of Tender (no other than those issued by the Department will be recognized). Conditions of Contract, Specification and Plan of Camp, and other documents, and any further Information required, can be obtained upon application between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily.

C. R. SHERVINGTON, Lieut.-Col., District Commissary-General.

Commissariat Office, Hongkong, 8th March, 1880. mail

Intimations.

DIVISION NAVALE
DES MERS DE CHINE ET DU JAPON.

AVIS.

Le 20 Mars 1880, à trois heures de l'après-midi, au Consulat de France à Hongkong, il sera procédé à l'adjudication de la fourniture des articles nécessaires à la Division Française répartie en trois marchés.

No. 1. Vivres journaliers et Vivres de Campagne.

No. 2. Charbon de terre.

No. 3. Matériel, Tabac et Savon (en 3 Lots).

Les cahiers des conditions particulières sont déposés à la Chancellerie du Consulat de France à Hongkong et à bord du Croiseur la Jéhu, pour être communiqués à tous les négociants qui le demanderont. Le Vénérat du Consulat.

Hongkong, le 8 Mars 1880.

[Translation.]

DIVISION NAVALE
DES MERS DE CHINE ET DU JAPON.

NOTICE.

ON the 20th MARCH, 1880, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, there will be an ADJUDICATION for the Supply of the Necessary STORES and PROVISIONS for the French Naval Division, in three lots, viz:—

1. Daily Provisions and Sea Provisions.

2. Coal.

3. Ship's Stores, Tobacco and Soap (in three lots).

The particulars of Tenders are at the Chancellerie of the French Consulate, Hongkong, and on board of the man-of-war Jéhu, and may be consulted by any one desirous of tendering.

M. JAMETEL, Le Vénérat du Consulat.

Hongkong, March 8, 1880. ma20

Shipping.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co's Steamship "The Nestor," Capt. T. W. FREEMAN, will be despatched on or about the 20th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, March 2, 1880.

FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND HOGO.

The Steamship "The Maud," THOS. WALKER, Commander, shortly due from Singapore, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 23, 1880.

FOR LONDON.

The Steamship "The Glenlogie," Capt. QUINCY, will be despatched as above on or about the 11th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, February 25, 1880.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 American Bark "The Dringo," STANLEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Bark "The Haydn," HAYDN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 American Ship "The Hecla," DAY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Ship "The Robinson," SMITH, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, January 2, 1880.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Venus having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Underigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Bats delivery may be obtained.

Consignees of Opium are requested to take immediate delivery from on board. Opium not early taken delivery of will be landed into the Godowns of the Underigned at East Point.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 14th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, March 8, 1880. ma15

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "The Suez," Captain J. D. PATON, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underigned for counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

Consignees are also hereby informed that any China must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 12th Instant.

D. SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 6, 1880. ma13

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

BOUQUET GRAND PIANO, by BRADWOOD, in good condition.

For Particulars, apply to X. Q. c/o "CHINA MAIL" Office.

Hongkong, 3rd March, 1880.

THE FOLK-LORE OF CHINA; and its Affinities with THAT OF THE ARYAN AND SEMITIC RACES. By N. R. DENNIS, Ph.D., F.R.G.S. Price, Half Bound, \$2.00.

KELLY & WALSHE, Hongkong.

Hongkong, February 12, 1880. ma12

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co's CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$16 per 1 doz. Case.

Pints.....\$17 per 2 doz. "

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

For Sale.

THE FURNISHING, PICTURES, &c.

A STOCK-IN-TRADE and Good-will of the well-known and prosperous Business at present Carried on by Mr ANDREW WOLFFERS at

THE BRITISH HOTEL.

Full Particulars will be given on Application.

NOW READY.

PRICE, \$1.50.

"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW," By E. H. PARKER.

Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSHE at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 6, 1879.

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

For Sale.

TO LET.

FIRST FLOOR OF HOUSE, No. 1, PRATA EAST, MARINE LOT NO. 65, together with the GROUND FLOOR, or separately.

Also,

GROUND FLOORS OF No. 3 and 4.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, March 4, 1880. ap4

TO BE LET, on Lease for BUILDING, a FINE GROUND, containing about 10,000 Square Feet, at SPRING GARDEN, on Island Lot No. 129, commanding a good view of the harbour.

Apply to BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, 29, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, February 4, 1880.

TO LET.

FOREIGN HOUSES, containing Six Rooms and Out-Houses; Also, CHINESE SHOPS and HOUSES in the HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, January 26, 1880.

TO LET.

FOUR-STORY HOUSES in HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

A HOUSE in Lyndhurst Terrace.

Apply to E. R. BELLIOS.

Hongkong, December 27, 1879.

TO LET.

FIRST-CLASS STONE FLOORED GO-DOWN, situated upon MARINE LOT 10.

Also, the Two HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 15, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

TO LET.

ON MARINE LOT NO. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL.

CITY HALL.

A GRAND VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT.

Will be Given

TO-MORROW EVENING, the 11th Instant, at 9 p.m., by the Artists of THE ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.

Signora MARCONI, Signor SERISOLA and BERGAMASCHI assisted by several Gentlemen Amateurs, Signor GUARNIERI and Mmes. GARD, Violinist.

PROGRAMME.

PART I.

Scored Music.

1. Gran Air.....Friede a Marie.....Verdi. Signor Serisola.

2. Cavatina.....da Stabat Mater.....Rosini. Signa RA MANCINI.

3. Chorus.....Abendglocken.....Julius Otto. by Gentlemen Amateurs.

4. Air.....Opus Animam.....Rosini. Signor SERISOLA.

5. Air de Paolo.....Jérusalem.....Mendelson. Signor BERGAMASCHI.

PIANO, ARMONIUM, VIOLONCELLO & V.....Signora MARCONI, Signor SERISOLA.

7. Chorus.....Ritters Abschied.....Johanna Kinkel. by Gentlemen Amateurs.

8. Duetto.....At Nostro Monti, Trovatore. Signora MARCONI & Signor SERISOLA.

9. Fantasia.....Piano played by 4 hands. Miss D. K. WILKINSON & Miss G. BUSH.

10. Gran Duo.....del Destino.....Verdi. Signor SERISOLA & BERGAMASCHI.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle.....\$2.

Stalls.....\$1.

Phil.....\$1.

Tickets can be procured at Messrs KELLY & WALSHE, or at the door of the Theatre on the Day of Performance.

The members of the Italian Opera, in returning thanks for the past and future support they have received from the community of Hongkong, further hope that they will honour them on this occasion, and the members feel it their duty to convey their thanks to the Gentlemen Amateurs, Mr GUARNIERI and Mr GARD, for their kind assistance.

Hongkong, March 10, 1880. ma12

Entertainment.

G. FALCONER & Co.

WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS, AND JEWELLERS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.

43, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, February 20, 1880. ma20

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in an Account of Business Contributed during the Half-Year ended 31st December, 1879, on or before March 31st, on which Date the Accounts will be Closed.

By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, February 21, 1880. ap1

ORIENTAL HOTEL.

TWO NEW BUILDINGS HAVE BEEN LAID.

ACCOMMODATION FOR BOARDERS AND FAMILIES.

WINE AND SPIRITS OF THE BEST QUALITY.

J. F. BUSTLER, Proprietor.

Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

MR. F. KLAMPERMEYER has REMOVED to his New PREMISES, No. 63, PRATA CENTRAL, close to the Canton Wharf.

The Patronage of the Community is most respectfully solicited.

F. KLAMPERMEYER.

Hongkong, January 24, 1880.

Intimations.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1865, AND THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1877.

CAPITAL \$500,000, DIVIDED INTO 5,000 SHARES OF \$100 EACH (FULLY PAID UP).

General Agents, Messrs RUSSELL & Co.

Directors, C. VINCENT SMITH, Esq.

BANKERS.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

Solicitors, Messrs BRERETON and WOTTON.

This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the COSMOPOLITAN DOCK, their Dock and the Ground and Premises belonging thereto, with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-Trade of the parties aforesaid, and the Business and Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hongkong. For this purpose an absolute assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1880, has been entered into by Messrs WILKINSON, FORBES, FRANK BLACKWELL, FORBES, SAMUEL WILKINSON, FORBES, JUNIOR, JOHN MURRAY FORBES, JUNIOR, FREDERICK DELANO HAYDN, HENRY DE COUVER FORBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants, trading as RUSSELL & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM BOLTON SPRENT, ANNE LOUIS SPRENT, and NATHAN SPRENT, the owners of STOK, and COSMOPOLITAN DOCK, with Messrs KWO KACHONG, WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, and JOHN ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirmation, for the price or sum of \$500,000, subject to the condition that if the Stock-in-Trade consisting of Wood and Iron be not valued by a competent valuator at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 shall abate accordingly.

The Cosmopolitan Dock is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest Vessels afloat; it is situated on the Victoria Harbour, and the wharves and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order. The Business of Building, Docking, Making, and Repairing Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon active business, which it is expected will be highly remunerative.

The Business of the Company will be conducted by Messrs RUSSELL & Co., as General Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors. About Four Thousand Shares have been already taken up, and it is intended that the Capital will be called up as follows:—

\$75 per share on allotment.

\$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880.

All unpaid Capital after that date shall bear interest at 12 per cent. per annum.

Application for Shares, which shall be in the annexed form, will be received by the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

Intimations.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

To Messrs RUSSELL & Co., General Agents.

CHIEF MANAGERS.—

I hereby request that you will allot to Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to, and agree to pay the first Call of \$75 per share on allotment, and the second Call of \$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880, and to subscribe the Articles of Association when required to do so.

Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

N.B.—Blank Form of Application for Shares may be had at the Office of the General Agents.

Intimations.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCOW.

The Steamship "The Namoa," Capt. WESTON, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 11th Instant, at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, March 9, 1880. mail

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship "The Suez," J. D. PATON, Command., will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 13th Instant, at 8 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1880. ma13

FOR MANILA.

The Steamship "The Fenice," Captain OXEN, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, March 8, 1880.

FOR SINGAPORE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling off the usual Coast Ports, and taking through Cargo and Passengers for New Zealand.)

The Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Co.'s Steamer "The Bothen" will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 16th Instant, at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, March 2, 1880. ma16

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co's Steamship "The Decatur," Captain R. J. BROWN, will be despatched on or about 18th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, March 4, 1880.

For Sale.

MR. CHARLES T. HIRST was Adjudged a FETTER in our Firm on the 1st January, &c.

HESS & Co.

Hongkong, March 4, 1880. ap1

NOTICE.

MR. HENRY CRAWFORD will Sign our Name per Procuration from this Date.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 4, 1880. ap4

NOTICE.

MR. N. O. STEVENS is hereby authorized to Sign our Name by Procuration at AMOY, the Power held by Mr. EWEEL CRAWFORD from this Date.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, February 9, 1880. my11

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of MR. LEONHARD STAEHL in our Firm CHANGED on the 31st December last. Mr. F. C. DITTMER is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration.

HESS & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents to the New York Board of UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Agents, ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879. See80

For Sale.

Mr. Andrew Wind,

News Agent, &c.

138, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail, Overland China Mail, and China Review.

For Sale.

THE following Rates of Interest are allowed on Fixed Deposits:—

For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " " 4 " " "

" 3 " " 3 " " "

" 12 " " 2 " " "

H. H. NELSON, Manager.

Hongkong, May 31, 1879.

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Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the dis-
continuation of *Notes & Queries* on
China and Japan, has induced the pub-
lishers of this journal to issue a new
series in object and style, but slightly
modified in certain details.

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works bearing on Chinese matters. Great
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department.

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gether as "Notes" (head references being
given, when furnished, to previous Notes
or Queries), as also are those queries which
though asking for information, are not
of a purely literary or scientific nature,
but of a practical character, and the mat-
ter in hand. It is desirable to make the
Queries proper as brief and as much to
the point as possible.

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lowing notice of the *China Review*:—"This
is the title of a publication, the first number
of which has lately reached us from Hong-
kong, where it has been set on foot as in
some respects a continuation of *Notes and
Queries* on China and Japan, the extension
of which useful serial a year or two ago has
been much regretted in Europe as well as
in China. The present publication, judging
by the number now before us, is intended to
occupy a position, as regards China and the
neighbouring countries, somewhat similar
to that which has been filled in India by the
Calcutta Review. The great degree of com-
pletion that has been attained of late years
upon the investigation of Chinese literature,
antiquities, and social developments, to say
nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the
accumulation of important stores of infor-
mation, rendering some channel of pub-
licity as is now provided extremely desir-
able; and contributions of much interest
may fairly be looked for from the members
of the foreign consular services, the Chinese
Customs' corps, and the missionary body,
among whom a high degree of Chinese
scholarship is now occasionally cultivated,
and whose several representations in the first
number of the *Review* are highly creditable
to their respective authors. In a
paper on Dr. Legge's *Shing King*, by the
Rev. E. J. Little, to which the place of hon-
our is deservedly given, an excellent
summary is presented of the chronological
problems and arguments involved in con-
nection with this important work. Some
of the most useful and interesting of the
articles are marked by both accuracy and
freshness of style; and an account of the career
of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh
century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra,
is not only historically valuable, but is also
distinguished by its literary grace. Some
notices of new books relating to China and
the East, which will be useful features of
the *Review*, if carried out with punctuality
and detail, we are glad to notice that
"Notes" and "Queries" are destined to
find a place in its pages also. It is to be
hoped that this opening for contributions
on Chinese subjects may evoke the talents
of literary men to which a similar
disposition during the lifetime of its prede-
cessor in the field, and that the *China Review*
may receive the support necessary to insure
its continuance. The publication is intend-
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form a substantial octavo magazine.

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tion—conducted by native officers, but
progressive and anti-obscure in tone—
is almost limitless. On the one hand
demands Chinese belief and interest
while on the other deserves every aid
that can be given to it by foreigners.
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ful. To it will be relegated from time
to time such items of information, lists,
tables and other intelligence as is con-
sidered likely to prove valuable to per-
sons passing through the City, and
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SELECT "HOTEL AND BUSINESS"
DIRECTOR, applications for enrolment
into which we are now ready to receive.

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Gardens.

City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and
Museum.—Free.

Public Gardens, a beautifully picturesque
retreat of great interest.

The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Cen-
tral, in a line with Pedder's Wharf.

General Post Office, Hongkong Club,
German Club, Supreme Court, &c.,
within a stone's throw.

Lusitania Club and Library, Shelley St.
Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c.,
near the Public Gardens.

St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above
the Parade Ground.

Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington
Street.

Union Church, Elgin Street.

St. Peter's Spem's Church, West Point.
St. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden
Road, near Kennedy's Church.

Temperance Hall, specially adapted for
sea-faring men, Queen's Road East.

Sailors' Home, West Point.

E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., and
the Great Northern Telegraph Co.,
Marine House, Queen's Road.

Masonic Hall, Zetland Street.

Victoria Recreation Club—Bath-house
and Boat-house, &c.,—Praya, beyond
the Cricket Ground, beside the City
Hall.

The Barracks and Naval and Military
Store Departments lie to the east-
ward, and cover a large area.

Hotels.

Stag Hotel, good accommodation for
visitors at moderate rates, 110, Queen's
Road Central.—J. Cook, Proprietor.

Hongkong Hotel, the largest and most
comfortable, at the corner N. E. of the
Clock Tower.—DORRIS and HING-
KEE, Lessees.

Stores, Books, &c.

General Outfitter, Hosiery, Tailor,
&c.—T. N. DRISCOLL, 45 and 47,
Queen's Road, by special appointment
to H. E. the Governor.

Chronometers, Watches, Jewellery,
Maps and Charts.—G. FALCONER & Co.,
Queen's Road Central.

Books, Music and Stationery.—KELLY
& WALSH (next door Hongkong Hotel).

Travelling Requisites of all kinds,
Books, &c.—LYNE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
American and English Stores, Books,
and specially selected Cigars.—MAC-
EVEN, FRICKEL & Co.

American Newspapers and cheap Re-
prints, &c., choice Tobacco and Cigars.
—MOORE'S VARIETY STORE, 42,
Queen's Road.

Watches, Jewellery, Charts, Binocu-
lars, Optical Instruments, Mordant's
Pencil-cases, &c.—JOHN NOBLE, agent
for Negretti & Zambra.

Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Ammunition,
and Sportsman's Requisites of all descrip-
tions.—WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Gun-
makers, 47, Wyndham Street.

Chair and Boat Hire.

LEGALISED TARIFF OF FARES FOR CHAIRS,
CHAIR BARROWS, AND BOATS,
IN THE COLONY OF HONGKONG.

Chairs and Ordinary Pullaway Boats.
Half hour, 10 cts. Hour, 20 cts.
Three hours, 50 cts. Six hours, 70 cts.
Day (from 6 to 6), One Dollar.

To VICTORIA PEAK.
Single Trip.
Four Coolies, 4.00
Three Coolies, 3.00
Two Coolies, 2.00

Return (direct or by Pok-foo-lum).
Four Coolies, 4.00
Three Coolies, 3.00
Two Coolies, 2.00

To VICTORIA GARDEN (TO LEVEL OF UMBRELLA
SEAT).
Single Trip.
Four Coolies, 4.00
Three Coolies, 3.00
Two Coolies, 2.00

Return (direct or by Pok-foo-lum).
Four Coolies, 4.00
Three Coolies, 3.00
Two Coolies, 2.00

The Return Fare embraces a trip of not
more than three hours.

For every hour or part of an hour above
three hours, each Coolie will be entitled to
an additional payment of 5 cents.

Day Trip (Peak).....\$0.75 each Coolie.
(12 hours) Gap.....\$0.60 each Coolie.

Licensed Bearers (each).
Hour, 10 cts.
Half day, 35 cts.
Day, 50 cts.

BOAT AND COOLIE HIRE.
Boats.
1st Class Cargo Boat of 8 or 900
pounds, per Day, 3.50
1st Class Cargo Boat of 8 or 900
pounds, per Load, 2.00
2nd Class Cargo Boat of 800
pounds, per Day, 2.50
2nd Class Cargo Boat of 800
pounds, per Load, 1.75
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 300
pounds, per Day, 1.50
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 300
pounds, per Load, 1.00
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 300
pounds, Half Day, .60

or Pullaway Boats, per Day, 1.00
One Hour, .50
Half an Hour, .10

After 6 p.m., 10 cents extra.
Nothing in this Scale prevents private agree-
ments.

STREET CARRIAGES.
Scale of Hire for Street Coolies.
One Day, 30 cts.
Half Day, 15 cts.
Three Hours, 12 cts.
One Hour, 8 cts.
Half Hour, 5 cts.

Nothing in the above Scale to affect private
agreements.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusion of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at
Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *h*, near the Kowloon shore *k*, and those in the body of the
Shipping or midway between each shore are marked *c*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the F. and O. Co.'s Office.

Section.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Pedder's Wharf.
6. From Pedder's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Str.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers.								
Atholl.....	2 h	Thompson	Brit.	str.	932	Mar.	9 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Benarty.....	7 b	Pettk	Brit.	str.	1119	Mar.	8 Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
Carisbrook.....	5 c	Milner	Brit.	str.	1500	Feb.	25 Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
Cleland.....	2 c	Wlarton	Brit.	str.	609	Mar.	7 Bun Hin Chan	
Cleland.....	2 h	Harvey	Brit.	str.	769	Mar.	7 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Conquest.....	5 h	Hamlin	Brit.	str.	317	Mar.	7 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Fama.....	4 h	Stopani	Brit.	str.	137	Mar.	H. K. & W'co Dool Co.	
Glenroy.....	4 c	Donaldson	Brit.	str.	111	Mar.	10 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Hindostan.....	5 c	McConnell	Brit.	str.	531	Feb.	6 David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	
Jeddah.....	4 h	Clark	Brit.	str.	993	Mar.	7 Bun Hin Chan	
Kiungchow.....	2 h	Lero	Brit.	str.	160	Mar.	6 Kwok Choo	
Malacca.....	5 c	Reeves	Brit.	str.	1044	Mar.	6 P. & O. S. N. Co.	
Namoa.....	4 h	Westoby	Brit.	str.	862	Mar.	6 Douglas Laiprak & Co.	
Ningpo.....	4 c	Cass	Brit.	str.	761	Mar.	10 Shanssen & Co.	
Norna.....	4 h	Loro	Brit.	str.	606	May	31 Kerck Achong	
Olympia.....	4 c	Napel	Ger.	str.	738	Mar.	6 Meyer & Co.	
Rajamahatuar.....	4 c	Hogel	Ger.	str.	983	Feb.	29 Yuen Fat Hong	
Sa Ghal.....	5 h	Haydon	Brit.	str.	48	Mar.	24 China Traders' Insurance Co.	
Suez.....	1 c	Ekson	Brit.	str.	1890	Mar.	6 David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	
Thalys.....	5 c	Peters	Brit.	str.	820	Dec.	26 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Thibet.....	5 c	Ashdown	Brit.	str.	1671	Mar.	6 P. & O. S. N. Co.	
Venice.....	5 c	Rhode	Brit.	str.	1972	Mar.	7 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
							Austral Port Swatow and Amoy Saloon Bohow & Balphong	16th inst.
							Shanghai alcuta Swatow and Amoy Bohow Yokohama Quart. Paris Shanghai	Tug Plyin To-morrow To-day To-day Multi at daylight To-morrow
							Saloon Bangkok	14th inst. Patent Sil
							S'pore, Calcutta, &c. R'oon D Europe, &c. Saloon	19th, 3 p To-night at daylight